# DANGER LURKING

Insects and Diseases Declared to Be Injurious by Crop Pest Commission.

INFORMATION FOR FARMERS

Efforts Being Made for the Protection of Virginia Orchards and Crops.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.1]
Blacksburg, Va., February 25.—The
Crop Pest Commission, at its meeting
January 14, altered and amended the
list of injurious insects and plant discases and the rules and regulations
relative to same to read as follows:
"For the government of the State
Entomologist, assistants, local inspectors and employes of the State Board
of Crop Pest Commissioners, as authorized by Act of Assembly, approved
May 9, 1903. Sections 2 and 3. altered
and amended October 17, 1997, and
January 14, 1919, to read as follows:
"I By the virtue of authority conferred by the above cited act, the following rules and regulations are hereby adopted and promulgated by the
State Board of Crop Pest Commissioners, and the State Entomologist
and Pathologist, and such assistants
and local inspectors as may be hereafter appointed, are authorized and
directed to enforce the same.
"2. List of insects and funguous
parasites. The following list of insect pests and plant diseases are hereby declared to be dangerously injurious,
and it is ordered by this board that
they shall hereafter come within the
scope of operations under the crop
pest law;

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"Insects—San Jose scale (Aspidiotus perniciosus), West Indian peach scale (Aulacaspis pentagona), wooly aphis (Schizoneura lanigera), in nurseries only; Gipsy moth (Porthetria dispar), brown-tail moth (Fuproctis chrysorr-hoea), maple scale (Chrysomphalus tenebricosus), strawberry root louse (Aphis forbesi).
"Tungi—Srown gall, in nurseries only; peach yellows, peach rosette, little peach, black knot of plum and cherry (Plowrightia morbesa), fire blight of Pear and apple (Micrococcus amylovorus), in nurseries only.
"This board reserves the right to alter, amend and change this list as the exigencies of the work may warrant."
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uit, "5. Quarantine Against Diseased trouble will then enable the growers trouble mild then enable the growers at dating from January 14, 1910, no reson, persons, firm, or corporation all sell, transport or give away any uit trees, or other plants, commonly These are two diseases similar in many fruit trees, or other plants, commonly known as nursery stock, within the State of Virginia when affected with the San Jose scale, West Indian peach scale, woolly aphis. Gipsy moth, brown-tall moth, maple scale, strawberry root louse, crown-gall, peach yellows, peach rosette, little peach black knot of the plum and cherry, of fire blight of Pear and apple, as specified under section 2, above."

For sections 4 to 17 of the rules and regulations see circular No. 3 of the

from reaching it.

The maple scale is similar in some respects to the San Jose scale, but is mainly injurious to shade trees, such as silver maple. Nursery trees affected by this insect should not be sold. Hardier trees, such as the Norway maple, ash, ginko, American linden, oak and others should be substituted for the silver maple for ornamental purposes.

Strawberry root louse—This insect has not, so far as we can learn, become seriously injurious in this State, but as it is quite injurious in some of the adjoining States, strawberry plants should be carefully watched, and none planted that come from infested beds.

Crown gall—This disease affects the

Crown gall—This disease affects the roots of the apple, peach, pear to some extent, raspberry, etc., but it is main-ly injurious on apple. It has now been demonstrated that this disease

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spection of orchards and the destruction of all diseased trees as soon as they show the first symptoms of the

These are two diseases similar in many from Tennessee to succeed Senator respects to peach yellows, Methods of Frazier upon the expiration of the lat

is thought well to enumerate a few points, however, in regard to those troubles at this time.

Sant Jose scale—No nursery stock should be sent out that is infested with this insect. All nursery stock that has been exposed to infestation by this insect should be thoroughly funificated by the sent special problem once each winter.

West Indian peach scale—This insect has not become plentiful in Virginia, but nursery stock should be watched to prevent it from being introduced.

Woolly aphis—As the trees badly knotted by this insect are apt to rot and die after a few years' time, all nursery trees carrying speciments of this insect should be fundated and destroyed.

Gipsy and brown-tail moths are European insects that havo already cost the New England States several militons of dollars, and have destroyed much more value in forest and shade trees, orchards, etc. They have not yet reached this State, and careful watch should be present them from reaching it.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

[Raleigh, N. C., February 26.—North Carolina National Guard headquarters here and the United States War Department are co-operating in inaugurating a sort of correspondence school of instruction for the officers of the various companies throughout the State. One month ago there were distributed to the companies of the Guard two military text books—Sherrill's "Map-Reading" and "Minor Taxics." To-day, Adjutant-General Armfield malled out to each officer, as General Order No. 5, a list of questions, the answers to which must be returned to Guard headquarters here not later than April S. Another general order gives notice of the formal inauguration of the correspondence school for the improvement of the efficiency of the officers of the Guard, and directs that all questions and problems presented from time to time, have careful consideration at the hands of the officers and be promptly returned to headquarters at Raleigh, It also states

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been demonstrated that this disease
can be controlled on apple in the nursery by obtaining sclous from healthy
trees and grafting them into healthy
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cy records of the officers in the Adjutant-General's office.

A massive silver loving cup that
stands twenty-two inches high, with
ebony base, has been received at head
quarters for the North Carolina National Guard here, to be contested for
healthy buds for budding into
them. If this is done by the nurserymen and also a careful attempt made
in conjunction with the fruit-growers
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SCOTTSVILLE 3

#### DICKINSON FOR SENATE

Secretary Not an Active Candidate S Far for Frazier's Seat. Washington, February 26,-If Sec

retary Dickinson is a candidate for nomination as United States Senator State of Virginia when affected with the San Jose scale, West Indian peach scale, woolly aphis, Gipsy moth brown-tail moth, maple scale, strawberry root louse, crown-gall, peach black knot of the plum and cherry, of fire blight of Pear and apple, as specified under section 2, above."

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Black knot of plum and cherry—
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Samuel Gompors, president of the American Federation of Labor, told Attorney-General Wickersham that if the present American workers movement, which he said is construcif the present American workers movement, which he said is constructive and conservative in character, is outlawed and crushed out of existence by unfavorable legislation and court decisions, it will be followed by another movement, which will scarcely be constructive. For two hours Mr. Gompers and Mr. Wickersham discussed legislation affecting labor.

Opposition was made by the labor leader to the Moon bill, now before the Judiciary Committee of the House, on the ground that it is a pro-injunction measure. He said it did not fulfil the Republican platform promise on the injunction question, that the bill "would give statutory authority for the issuance of injunctions," which is the thing that the American Federation of Labor has been fighting so vigorously to prevent in the Bucks Stove and Range Company, the Danbury Hatters and other similar cases.

"At the present time," said Mr. Gompers, "there is simply an assumption of authority by the courts in the injunction cases, but it the Moon bill compers, "there is simply an assumption of authority by the courts in thinjunction cases, but if the Moon bil were passed, there would be statutory authority for these unfavorable courdecisions."

Clearing House Statement.

New York, February 28.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week (five days) shows that the banks hold \$22,701,460 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent, reserve rule. This is a decrease of \$2,378,875 in the proportionate cash reserve, as compared with last week.

The statement follows:
Loans, \$1,213,228,000; increase, \$4,-113,100.
Deposits \$1,212,333,400; increase, \$5.

Deposits, \$1,242,333,400; increase, \$5,479,900. Circulation, \$49,675,100; decrease, \$655,200. Legal tonders, \$67,627,400; increase, \$247,600. \*247,600. Specie, \$265,657,100; decrease, \$1,856,500.

Specie, \$255,981,799 decrease, \$1,508,-500.
Reserve, \$633,234,806; decrease, \$1,-608,900.
Reserve required, \$310,583,350; increase, \$339,750.
Surplus, \$22,057,400; decrease, \$2,978,-876.
EX-United States deposits, \$23,115,-200; decrease, \$2,988,275.
The percentage of actual reserve of the clearing house banks to-day was 26,64.

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The statement of the banks and trust companies of Greater New York not reporting to the clearing house shows: Loans, \$1,149,076,400; decrease, \$7,237,600.
Specie, \$124,368,600; decrease, \$1,224,700.

Legal tenders, \$20,753,300; decrease, \$215,000. Total denosits, \$1,227,067,300; increase, \$1,777,400.

growers to conclude that because early potatoes brought such high prices last year that similar returns will be received for them this season. Supply and demand control to a large extent the prices of potatoes the same tent the prices of potatoes the same as they do other produce, and the acreage throughout the South should be determined from year to year by the quantity of old potatoes likely to be available for market purposes when their crop will be ready for shipment. The indications are that there will still be a considerable stock of last year's potatoes in the market when the Southern crop is ready to dig, and growers in the South would do well to consider this when planning their potato acreage the present season.

#### INSTRUCT FARMERS HOW TO SELECT CORN

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Agents of Demonstration Work Spend Day in Anson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Wadesboro, February 26.—The courtroom had the appearance on Tuesday of a corn exhibit at a county fair. Scattered on tables, benches, chairs and the judge's desk there were cars of corn of all sizes, shapes and conditions, except that it was all good corn. The occasion of this display of corn was the coming to Wadesbord of C. R. Hudson, State agent of the farmers' co-operative demonstration work, and E. S. Milleap, of Statesville, and T. J. W. Broom, of Monree, both of whom are connected with the demonstration work. The object these men had in coming to Wadesboro was to talk with the farmers about the selection of good seed corn.

The courtroom was nearly full of representative farmers from every section of the county, and most of them brought samples of corn with them. Interesting and instructive addresses on the proper way to select and grow seed corn were made by Alessers. Hudson and Millsap, after which the many plies of corn were gone through, and the ears unsuitable for planting weeded out. In a number of instances the weeding-out process continued until there was not an ear left, but on the whole, so the visitors stated, the seed corn shown here is a good average as compared with the average of the State.

and S. W. Jones.

Addresses were made at the meeting by Joseph H. Saunders, of Norfolk, Commissioner of Agriculture G. W. Koiner, Samuel B. Helges and C. H. Pull.

HALIFAX TO THE FRONT.

Corn Club O'ganized, Starting With Membership of Ninety-Five.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch, I Mount Laurel, Va., February 25.—Last Friday saw the organization of a boys' corn club in Halifax county with minety-five members.

To O. Sandy, State agent of the farmers' co-operative demonstration work, was present and talked to the boys and presented them with corn club buttons.

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W. H. Barksdale, division superintendent of schools of Hallfax county. James S. Thomas, supervisor of rural schools, and W. H. Dorin, county demonstration agent, have been active in the county in the interest of this movement, and were successful in getting out a large number of boys.

WANT SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX.

Salisbury Board of Aldermen Will Be
Asked to Order Election.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Salisbury, N. C., February 26,—Facing an insufficient fund with which to maintain the public schools of Salisbury, the Board of Aldermen of this city will be petitioned to order an election to authorize a special tax sufficient to run the schools nine months. For the past month the School Board has been confronted with an empty treasury, and an order was passed to close the schools the an empty treasury, and an order was passed to close the schools this month, cutting the term down to six months instead of nine. The cltizens are greatly aroused and a desperate effort is to be made by the officials to maintain the schools for a full term. It is expected that an election will be ordered to be held about May 15.

FORCED TO LEAVE STATE.

Big Printing Establishment to Move From Winchester, Va., February 26. The Eddy Press Corporation. One of the largest commercial printing establishments in the South, announced this afternoon its determination of removing its entire plant from Winchester to Cumberland, Md., to be operated in conjunction with another establishment in which the owners are interested. The capital stock will be doubled, and facilities enlarged. Orficials here stated that they were practically forced to quit altogether or move elsewhere on account of inadequate railroad facilities and prohibitive Ireight rates.

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Juror Expressed Opinion to
Outsider.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

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The coming together of the farmers of Annoy to learn how good seed corn may be grown is sure to have farreaching results in improving the seed planted in the county.

FARMERS FORM INSTITUTE.

Organization Perfected in Princess Anno (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Norfolk, Va., February 25.—The carses of Princess Anno county, at a meeting held Turesday at Oceana, end freature, and the following officers were elected:

President, T. C. Johnson, director of the Virginia Turuck Experiment Station; Vice-Presidents, R. W. Woodhouse, W. T. Ether Gordon, of Oceana, and Treasurer, S. A. Benney, Board of Directors—James E. Odd, A. E. Ewell, W. N. Capps, George W. Land and S. W. Jones.

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Excaping Gas Detected Just in Time to Frevent Asphyxiniton.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Washington, N. C., February 25.—
Two prominent citizens of Hyde county, Mr. Pederick and Ex-Sheriff Thos. Mann, very narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation while at Hotel Louise, in this city, Thursday night. It seems to be another case of not properly turning off the gas before retiring, and in consequence, Sheriff Mann is still in bed and Mr. Pederick in a weakened condition. Both men went immediately to sleep, and did not detect the odor of escaping gas until one of them aroused about 3 o'clock, and feeling very ill, managed to call assistance, when the escaping gas was discovered. Dr. Joshua Tayloe was called and worked over the men for nearly and hour before they were out of danger.

DEMOCRATS ARE HOPEFUL.

Delegates Named to Bristol Convention

Delegates Named to Bristol Convention by Party in Wythe.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Wytheville, Va., February 26.—At a large meeting of the Democrats of Wythe county, held at the courthouse to-day, delegates were elected to the Bristol congressional convention, which meets March 4. No indication or expression was made as to any candidate, though it is conceded that if Hon Henry C. Stuart would accept, he would be the unanimous choice of the delegates selected.

The feeling in the meeting was shown to put up a more earnest fight to redeem the district than has been shown for years. In the meeting were many who have heretofore been lukewarm, taking active interest in the proceedings.

Two Negroes Instantly Killed. Two Negroes Justantly Killed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Durham, N. C., February 25,—At C.
G. Hales's wood yard this afternoon
Haywood Cozart and Alex. Lyon, two
colored men, were sawling wood into
chunks, when the saw jumped out of
the gearing, and the mantle, eight and
one-half feet long, flew around and
struck both on the head, killing them
instantly. The skulls of both men
were burst open, and their brains
knocked out.

DRIVES DISPENSARY OUT.

Courtland Recomes Dry and Loses His Source of Revenue.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Suffolk, va., February 26.—The passage of the Courtland dispensary bill in the House of Delegates to-day, it previously having passed the Senate, means the abolition of the only place where whiskey may legally be sold between Norfolk and Emporia and Richmond and South Carolina.

Delegaté J. W. Williams, of Southampton, who made its doo ma campaign issue, recently left his sick bed, on which he was married, and occupied his Assembly sey for a few days.

Though Courtland has only a few hundred population, the dispensary one day this week took in more than \$1.000. It has built schools and streets and abolished town taxes.

NEW TENNIS ASSOCIATION

National Association of Clay Court Players 1s Organized.

New York, February 26.—A new lawn tennis organization of national scope, to be known as the American Association of Clay Court Players, has been formed to take control over that branch of the sport, it was announced to day by Dr. P. H. Hawk, of the University of Ullinois, president of the new organization. The vice-presidency is to be filled by a Southern player. Harry Seymour, of Pitisburg, is secretary, and Butler Lamb, of North Dakota, is treasurer. The executive committee will be composed of special representatives in all of the States and Territories.

A temporary organization was effected in this city at the time of the annual meeting of the national association. Dr. Hawk then led the forces for the championship. The

new association has since been set afoot.
It was stated that in no manner would the American Association of Clay Court Players be antagonistic to the United States National Lawn Tennis Association.

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